

Local News.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19, 1899.

Deaths.

Mrs. Louisa C. Ligon, relict of the late Prof. W. J. Ligon, died at her home in this city last Thursday morning. She had been in feeble health for the past five or six months, and gradually grew worse until death came to her relief. She was a daughter of the late Henry Seabolt, of Lexington County, S. C., where she was born and reared, and in the 64th year of her age. In 1852 she married Prof. Ligon, and four years later they moved to Pendleton, where they resided until 1861, when they moved to Anderson. Twelve children—nine sons and three daughters—were born to them, and of this number five sons survive her, having been dedicated to the Lord by baptism in her infancy, and trained in his "nurture and admonition," in her childhood she publicly confessed her faith in Christ and united with the Methodist Church. Throughout her life she was a most devoted and zealous member, and often rendered valuable service in the various departments of Church work. Mrs. Ligon was a woman of more than ordinary intelligence, and possessed many noble virtues of both mind and heart. She was not only a true Christian, a devoted wife and affectionate mother, but an exceedingly kind neighbor, and was ever ready to lend a helping hand and speak an encouraging word to the poor and distressed. Her memory will long be cherished by a wide circle of friends. On last Friday morning the funeral services were held in the First Methodist Church, being conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. W. Daniel, assisted by Rev. S. B. Harper, after which her remains were laid to rest beside those of her honored husband in Silver Brook Cemetery.

Mr. James F. Hammond died at the home of his brother, Mr. John G. Hammond, in Chicago, on the 12th inst., after a brief illness with paralysis of the brain. The deceased was the third son of the late George W. Hammond, of this city, and was in the 38th year of his age. He was born and raised in Anderson, and in his boyhood worked several years in the INTELLIGENCER office. For a number of years he has been on the stage, and traveled nearly all over the country with a popular comedy company, having visited Anderson two or three years ago with Barlow Bros. Minstrels. He possessed a fine voice and was a talented young man. He has many old friends and relatives in our midst who will regret to hear of his death.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, wife of Mr. Ebenezer Ashley, died at the County Paupers' Home last Monday morning. She had been afflicted with paralysis for about two years, during which time she was helpless and confined to her bed. She had long been a devoted member of the Mt. Bethel Baptist Church, and bore her affliction with Christian patience and resignation. She was 86 years of age and had been married twice, but had no children. She and her husband have been inmates of the County Home for about six months, and he is 95 years of age. Her remains were interred at the County Home Cemetery yesterday, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. Wm. Brown.

Aaron Items.

As we have been sitting quietly and trying to behave ourselves "pretty" for a good while, Mr. Editor, we will, if you will give us the floor, speak a little while.

We have noticed numerous, valuable and beautiful improvements go up since we last saw you in our midst, and as some say, "beauty before age," we will speak first of the cutest and prettiest little building that has been lately set down in our community. It is that beautiful "spring house" which Mr. Fureen Newell has built over old Hopewell Spring. The cheerful aspect which it presents is refreshing to the passer-by, and it is also "useful as well as ornamental."

In home life we note: The new residences of Mr. J. A. Jolly, built by the Anderson Lumber Company; and of Mr. J. W. White, built by our local and enterprising contractor, Mr. J. Baker Greedy. These are both excellent pieces of work, and while they reflect credit on the contractors, they make two of our best families much more comfortable and home life a luxury. Messrs. J. H. Leach and John A. Kay have also made neat and valuable improvements in their respective homes.

Numerous other improvements, such as blacksmith shops, new cut roads, etc., etc. You must just come up, Mr. Editor, if you will appreciate it all.

We are looking forward to a most interesting and instructive series of services at the Sabbath School Convention at Hopewell soon. We expect some distinguished workers and speakers, and then we will have the good delegates from many parts.

Quite a goodly number of our young people met last Sabbath afternoon at Mr. Welborn Martin's and engaged in some beautiful music.

The Ladies' Aid Society at Midway propose to put a nice carpet on their pulpit rostrum. So three of our most charming belles are "on the carpet" to meet and with the assistance of some of our noble young men, will soon have it in position.

Prof. L. M. Mahaffey, our most thoroughly popular teacher at Hopewell, is now occupying the commodious residence recently vacated by Mr. J. B. Neal.

The Rev. R. G. Martin filled his pulpit promptly and acceptably at Trinity last Sabbath and preached to a large, intelligent and appreciative audience. Mr. Mordio Smith's many friends will be glad to learn that he is out again from his recent attack of grip.

Mr. P. H. Brown, our efficient road manager, has gotten in some good work on the bridge fills and abutments at the new bridge built by Gentry Bros. near Mr. Reid Watson's mill.

Mr. Chas. H. Carter and his charming sister, Miss May, attended Church at Lebanon last Sabbath. Business is on a boom.

The schools at Midway and Trinity have closed and farmers are too happy to do anything but farm.

Come on soon, Mr. Editor, and then come back again when watermelons come. Yours truly as ever,

R. E. PORTER.

Belton Items.

Hon. T. A. Williams, of Lancaster, S. C., has been with the family of Mrs. Corrie Poore for several days. Mr. Williams is one of the executors of the estate of the late and lamented Jas. W. Poore, and is here assisting Dr. Bowen, the other executor, in looking after matters pertaining to the estate.

Hon. A. C. Latimer has been at Abbeville and Prosperity recently on business pertaining to the establishment of the "Rural Mail Delivery." Mr. Latimer succeeded in securing seven of these free mail deliveries for his District, and will place one here. Mr. John Harris will be the carrier.

Mr. J. D. Campbell is at home for a short stay.

Mrs. Mary Orr and two children, of Greenville, are spending some time with the family of Mr. J. K. Breazeale.

Mr. A. P. Taylor, General Agent for the Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Co., was in town Saturday and did some work for his Co.

The program of the public debate to be given in the hall Friday night by the young men of the Literary Society is as follows: Reader, Rex Rice; Debater, Clarence Clinkscales; Debaters: Affirmative, W. H. Scott, J. A. Hedden; Negative, J. C. Pinson and I. F. Copeland. This will be the maiden effort of all the young men in the presence of an audience, and people should not come expecting as much from them as experienced speakers; but we believe they will say some things that will give those who heard different ideas about the subject discussed, viz: "Resolved, That prohibition would solve the liquor problem." In addition to the speaking, music will be given by members of the school, and Miss Rena Rice has kindly consented to recite, which of course will not be the least attraction of the entertainment. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The North Carolina Biding Exposition will be in Belton Saturday, the 22nd inst., from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. The car carries an exhibition of the agricultural and mineral products of the State, and is altogether worth anybody's time to see.

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Townville Items.

We have been very much delighted with a good week's work on the farms in this section. Cotton planting is the order of the day. Some corn has been planted.

Mr. Billie Holcombe is very ill at this writing. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Capt. H. R. Vandiver is still in feeble health.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ledbetter is in Anderson visiting friends and relatives.

Rev. J. F. Singleton visited friends in town one day last week.

Mrs. Campbell died one day last week. She was a most excellent, Christian woman, and leaves a wide circle of friends. Her remains were interred in the Baptist Churchyard, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. J. F. Singleton.

Mr. Jackson Giles has returned to town with the letters M. D. attached to his name, and we wish him success in his profession.

Miss Lula Rankin, who has been teaching school in Oconee County, has been visiting the family of her kinsman, Dr. W. K. Sharpe.

The Sunday School at the Baptist Church was reorganized recently by the election of the following officers: Superintendent, E. P. Earle; Secretary and Treasurer, P. S. Mahaffey; Organist, Mrs. Mary Babb; Assistant Organist, Miss Gertie Mahaffey.

Mr. G. M. Schrimp, of Moscow, has been visiting in this neighborhood.

Mrs. Schroeder is visiting friends and relatives near here.

Mr. Joe Lawrence worshipped at the Presbyterian Church last Sunday.

The burning of the barn on the Maxwell plantation, which is in charge of Mr. J. L. McCarley, consumed 11 head of horses and mules, 15 head of cattle, 2,200 bundles of fodder, 250 bushels of cotton seed, 1 ton of cotton seed meal, a lot of hay and other roughness, 2 wagons, and badly damaged 1,000 bushels of corn. The loss falls quite heavy on Mr. McCarley and his sons, as the stock belonged to them and left them without a horse to plow. There was no insurance on any of the property. Mr. McCarley's friends are helping him to replace his things.

The entertainment here last Friday night was largely attended and highly enjoyed. All of the participants acquitted themselves well.

Mr. Will, Hunter's horse was stolen or strayed off last Friday night. We learn that he has heard of it at Seneca.

Mr. J. A. Burgess was called a few days ago to the bedside of his brother, who is very sick at his home in the Slabtown section. School, Boy.

Richland Creek Dots.

The health of the community was never better.

Misses Pearl Barrett and Eva Brooks visited friends down on the river recently.

Mr. Joe Gray, of McClure, S. C., visited relatives in this section recently.

Maddogs are all the go down in this part of the country.

We think the young man that drives the black mule has some attraction over on the creek.

Miss Cornelia Milford and brother, of Townville, visited the Misses Brooks some time ago. Come again, Miss Cornelia, we are always glad to see you.

Mrs. Luta Skelton has been very well with la grippe, but are glad to say she is improving.

Rev. Hugh McLees and sister, Miss Sue, visited the family of Mr. Frank McLees recently.

News is scarce.

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We have an experienced repair man at the head of our Bicycle Department, and we are prepared to do any kind of repair work at low prices. Brock Bros.

Denver Notes.

Farmers are rejoicing and putting in good time ploughing the past few days of dry, pleasant weather. By extra hard work they hope to get enough cotton planted by the first of May to make another big crop of 5-cent cotton.

Miss Myrtie McWhorter has closed her school at Alpine and is at home again to the delight of her many friends.

Miss Margie Majors came home from Pendleton Saturday, accompanied by two lovely young ladies, Miss Wightman, of Pendleton, and Miss Fannie Whitman, of Greenville. They returned on Sunday afternoon much to the regret of our young people, who would gladly have prolonged their stay indefinitely.

Cadet Will Garrison came home Friday, bringing with him his friend, Major Martin, one of the preceptors in Clemson College. Their society was greatly enjoyed by all who were so fortunate as to meet them during their short visit.

Mrs. Jane Browne and Oscar Browne, of Centerville, visited Mr. A. E. Browne during his illness. After a few days of slight improvement in his health, Mr. Browne has relapsed, and is again confined to the house.

Mrs. Dock Blackman, of Bowersville, Ga., died on the 14th and was brought back to Sandy Springs, and interred Sunday, amid a concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends. Rev. A. B. Watson conducting the funeral services. The deceased was sister of Mrs. Robt. Burns and Mrs. Anna Daracott, and they with the bereaved husband and children have our sympathy. Mr. Blackman and family formerly lived in this community, and have many friends and relatives here.

The old neighbors and friends of Mr. Eugene Eskew, of the 2nd S. C. Regiment, were glad to see him in their midst once more, and looking so well after his trip to Cuba. We do not know which rejoice most, the soldiers of the 2nd Regiment or their friends, that they are so soon to be mustered out.

Miss Docia Brock and Miss Lily Garrison visited Mr. S. L. Eskew's family at Pendleton and report having had a very pleasant time.

Mr. Wm. Elrod had the misfortune to lose a fine young mule about ten days ago. Incom.

Lowndesville Items.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Speer, of Anderson, who have been visiting Mr. G. W. Speer at Monterey, have returned to Dr. A. J. Speer's.

Mr. Clarence Harper returned from his medical college last week for the vacation. He is stopping with his brother, Mr. E. W. Harper. We were glad to see Mr. J. C. Thomas, a former citizen of our town, who is now living at Pearl Mills, Georgia, on our streets to-day.

Dr. B. A. Henry, who was formerly located here, has returned from Baltimore and New York, where he has been taking post-graduate courses, and was with us one day last week, greeting his many friends. We are all glad to see him and wish him much success in his new field, Anderson.

Mr. Marion Munn, of Beech, was in town Friday.

Mrs. B. A. Boyd was visiting Mrs. K. O. Hester Monday.

The Lowndesville Dramatic Club will give a play entitled, "The Deacon's Tribulations," in the High School building Friday night. The play is a sequel to "The Deacon," which was played here before, and promises to be a very enjoyable affair. Admission 15 cents for all. The proceeds will be devoted to the school library.

Miss Eileen Mauldin and Messrs. R. C. Mattison and C. J. Brock came down from Anderson and were the guests of Miss Zula Brock Sunday.

Mr. B. Bolin Allen has returned from Anderson. McD. H.

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